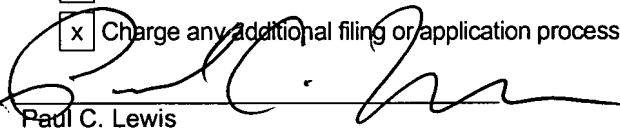




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In response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Amendments to the Specification, Claim Set As Amended, and Remarks, Revised Abstract.